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# May 2010

## caBIG® Patient Study Calendar (PSC) version 2.7 Released

The caBIG® Patient Study Calendar team is pleased to announce the release of PSC 2.7. New features include:

- Ability to import amendments to templates
- Download Excel or CSV exports directly from a patient's schedule
- Expanded ability to link from activities to external systems
- Many user interface enhancements

• Many additional features and fixes as described in our Release Notes. https://cabig-kc.nci.nih.gov/CTMS/KC/index.php/PSC Release Notes

This is the first new release of PSC since 2.6.3. PSC 2.7 is backwards-compatible with the caBIG® Clinical Trials Suite 2.1 and can be used to upgrade PSC within a Suite deployment without needing to upgrade or reinstall the other components. Upgrade instructions are included in the Installation Guide. <a href="https://cabig-kc.nci.nih.gov/CTMS/KC/index.php/PSC Installation Guide">https://cabig-kc.nci.nih.gov/CTMS/KC/index.php/PSC Installation Guide</a> We recommend that all current users of PSC upgrade to version 2.7.

#### March 2010

# caBIG® Clinical Trials Management Systems (CTMS) Workspace Face-to-Face Meeting

We are pleased to announce that the next caBIG® Clinical Trials Management Systems (CTMS) Workspace Face-to-Face Meeting will be held from July 27th - 29th, 2010, in Madison, Wisconsin. Our host will be the University of Wisconsin, Madison. Please save this date. More details about the meeting will be provided shortly. If you have any questions / comments in the meanwhile, please contact me at purohit\_vikram@bah.com.

#### Release of caBIG® Clinical Trials Suite Version 2.1

The National Cancer Institute Center for Biomedical Informatics and Information Technology (NCI CBIIT) is pleased to announce the availability of Version 2.1 of the caBIG® Clinical Trials Suite. The Suite is an integrated set of open-source software tools that facilitates electronic management of clinical trials and associated data, and enables comprehensive sharing and integration of clinical research information in clinical trials. Read more...

#### Release of BRIDG 3.0.1

BRIDG version 3.0.1, released on February 2, 2010, is available at <a href="https://gforge.nci.nih.gov/frs/?group\_id=342">https://gforge.nci.nih.gov/frs/?group\_id=342</a>. It includes the harmonization of the HL7 Regulated Clinical Research Information Management?s (RCRIM) Clinical Trials Registration and Results (CTR&R) project as well as resolution of comments from the 2009 CDISC BRIDG Review. As with the previous version of BRIDG, this release has a layered approach to address the needs of both domain experts and HL7-savvy experts.

## **BRIDG SVN Migration**

The BRIDG SVN has been migrated to a new server and is now available at <a href="https://ncisvn.nci.nih.gov/svn/bridg-model/trunk/">https://ncisvn.nci.nih.gov/svn/bridg-model/trunk/</a> SVN is used for version control of BRIDG SCC in-progress artifacts. For further information on the new BRIDG SVN folder structure please review the ?readme.txt? file. The BRIDG SVN will no longer be available on GForge site.

# February 2010

## **CTMS Workspace Face-to-Face Meeting**

The CTMS Workspace Face-to-Face Meeting was hosted by MD Anderson Cancer Center in Houston, Texas on February 3rd-5th, 2010.

# January 2010

## **CTMS Knowledge Center Face-to-Face Meeting**

The CTMS Knowledge Center Face-to-Face Meeting was held at Duke University in Durham, North Carolina on January 25th-26th, 2010.

#### December 2009

## NCI's Clinical Trials Reporting Program, CTRP 3.0 Released

CTRP v3.0 is now available. The purpose of NCI?s Clinical Trials Reporting Program (CTRP) is to establish a comprehensive database containing regularly updated information on all NCI-funded clinical trials. Grantees will enter specific information about each clinical trial into the database. NCI will use this information to coordinate research efforts to optimize our nation's investment in cancer research. Read more...

#### caBIG® Clinical Trials Suite 2.0 Released

The National Cancer Institute Center for Biomedical Informatics and Information Technology (NCI CBIIT) is pleased to announce the availability of Version 2.0 of the caBIG® Clinical Trials Suite. The Suite is a comprehensive set of open-source software tools that facilitates electronic management of clinical trials and associated data, and enables comprehensive sharing and integration of clinical research information?not only in cancer clinical trials, but in all clinical trials. Supported clinical trials activities include registering and tracking patients, managing patient activities and calendars, reporting and tracking adverse events, reviewing laboratory data, capturing and cleaning the clinical data, transferring clinical data between applications, and analyzing and reporting on collected data. The Suite is part of the National Cancer Institute?s overarching goal to connect the people, institutions, and data in the research community through caBIG®. Read more...

## November 2009

#### **CTMS Workspace Face-to-Face Meeting**

Please take a moment to mark your calendars for the dates February 3rd-5th, 2010, for the next CTMS Workspace Face-to-Face Meeting, to be hosted by MD Anderson Cancer Center in Houston, Texas.

The meeting agenda and logistics information will be published shortly.

# Request for letters of intent to adopt NCI-procured Clinical Data Management System - deadline Tuesday 12/15/2009

Please visit the CDMS page for more information: <a href="https://cabig-kc.nci.nih.gov/CTMS/KC/index.php/CDMS">https://cabig-kc.nci.nih.gov/CTMS/KC/index.php/CDMS</a> Award Announcement

#### **CDMS Demonstration**

Due to the overwhelming demand for additional demos, the NCI along with Medidata will be providing a two hour Medidata Rave Overview on Friday November 20th, from 1:00pm to 3:00pm Eastern Standard Time. Please visit the CDMS page and look under the section for events/announcements for more information: <a href="https://cabig-kc.nci.nih.gov/CTMS/KC/index.php/CDMS">https://cabig-kc.nci.nih.gov/CTMS/KC/index.php/CDMS</a> Award Announcement

#### October 2009

#### **New Release**

caAERS v1.9.6 has been released!

## caAERS Community Call

Anyone interested in caAERS is invited to the monthly caAERS community call on the first Thursday of each month from 12:00pm to 1:00pm EST.

To join, call 877-810-8617 // 2764499; Centra (http://ncicb.centra.com) ID: caAERS.

# September 2009

<u>caBIG®</u> <u>CDMS Awarded</u>: NCI has purchased licensing rights to use and distribute a Clinical Data Management System (CDMS) software package throughout the NCI Cancer Research Enterprise, defined as government and NCI-supported not-for-profit research institutions that conduct clinical and related human subjects research in the field of cancer as defined presently or in the future.

# January 27, 2009

<u>caBIG®</u> <u>Clinical Trials Suite 1.1 Released</u>: The caBIG Clinical Trials Suite (CCTS) is an enterprise clinical trials system being designed primarily for use in trial sites. The suite is comprised of a collection of interoperable modules covering a broad range of key areas in cancer clinical trials management.